(2) The prices should hold good for a period of one year from the date of letting the contract. Applications for enhancement of prices due to whatever causes will not be considered during the period of contract.

(3) The oil will be required to be supplied in tins of 38 lbs. net weight and the price should be quoted in terms of tins.

(4) The oil should be pure and free from adulteration or other impurities. It should also be free from bad smell and taste.

(5) Samples should be submitted in duplicate. One sample thereof will be got tested and analysed at the expense of the tenderer and the cost of such test, *viz.*, Rs. 15 per sample should be remitted to this office along with the tender.

(6) All indents from the Superintendent, Medical Stores, will be required to be complied with within seven days from their receipt.

(7) Supplies made otherwise than according to the accepted quality will be rejected at the risk of the contractors, who should replace the rejected supplies by those conforming to the approved samples.

(8) Failure to make supplies in time and satisfactorily will entail cancellation of the order and forfeiture of the Security Deposit specified in the following clause. The Stores Purchase Committee will, in such an event, be at liberty to purchase the oil from other sources, the extra cost, if any, being debited to contractors, in addition to the levy of a penalty of 3 per cent of the value of the contract, as and by way of liquidated damages.

(9) Successful tenderers will be required to execute an agreement undertaking to abide by the above conditions and also to deposit an amount equal to 5 per cent of the value of the contract as security for the proper performance of the contract.

(10) Withdrawal from tender before acceptance or thereafter or failure to execute the agreement and furnish the requisite deposit will entail removal of the tenderer's name from the list of approved firms.

By Order,
T. RANGASWAMI,
*Secretary,*
*Stores Purchase Committee.*

## KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

*Notification dated 3rd January* 1938.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove the following timber trees in the undermentioned State Forests and Plantations in the Kadur Division, for the year 1937-38, will be sold by public auction by the Range Forest Officers, subject to the conditions mentioned below :—

*Date of sale*—29*th January* 1938.

| Name of Range | Locality | Teak Lops and Tops | Honne | Bite | Mathi | Nandi | Other kinds | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | C.ft. | C.ft. | C.ft. | C.ft. | C.ft. | C.ft. | |
| Mudgere Range. | Saragodu felling series | 500 | | | | | .. | The sale will be conducted py the Range Officer, Mudgere. |
| Koppa Range. | (1) P. W. D. fellings on Balehonnur-Mogundi Road. | | | | | | | |
| | (2) P. W. D. fellings on Mogundi-Balehodu Road. | | 100 | 200 | 500 | 100 | 300 | The sale will be conducted by the Range Officer, Koppa Range, at Balehonnur. |
| | (3) Yelekal plantation area of 1937-38. | | | | | | | |
| | (4) Molgodi plantation area (1933 to 1937). | | | | | | | |

More or less.

The sale will commence at 2 P.M. precisely, on each day, and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and of the Conservator of Forests in other cases.

*N.B.*—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of the timber in the Coupes and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening of roads, etc.

2. Each bidder shall, before permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate as under the Thangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 100 (one hundred only) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall, immediately after the close of the sale, pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less deposit already paid, failing which the right will be resold or worked by the Department at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or Departmental working which will be recoverable from him as arrears of Land Revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. The standing timber will be sold in terms of cubic feet (*i.e.*, the bidders will have to bid at so much per cubic foot of timber).

5. Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted shall deposit a sum of Rs. 100 (one hundred) or 25 per cent of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each coupe as security towards the due fulfilment of his contract. He shall pay within that period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value, accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked by the Department at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself:—

(*a*) That he shall fell and remove the timber purchased by him before the 15th June 1939.

(*b*) That he shall make the felling of the trees in consecutive order as they are marked without picking or choosing and without causing damage to the surrounding growths.

(*c*) That he shall fell the trees he has purchased and dress the logs on the spot, and shall not remove such logs as the District Forest Officer may declare to be unsound and unfit for sale without recourse to sawing. The District Forest Officer's decision regarding the over-dressing of logs shall be final and the contractor shall pay such amount for wastage as may be fixed by the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) That only saws shall be used for cutting up the logs into required lengths and that only white wood, knots and flutes shall be removed while dressing the log and no unnecessary waste shall be caused.

(*e*) That he shall bind himself to pay in advance the value of the minimum quantity of timber to be fixed by the District Forest Officer and shall remove all marketable portions of a tree either in logs, pieces or poles.

(*f*) That he will not be eligible for any refund of advance revenue if the minimum quantity so fixed is not removed, but any excess quantity removed shall be paid for at auction sale rate.

(*g*) That no timber prepared out of any tree shall be removed unless it is measured and stamped at the stump by the Range Officer or such other officer as the District Forest Officer may authorise and until it is duly paid for.

(*h*) That each consignment of timber shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*i*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*j*) That if any tree other than the one bearing the Departmental Stamp or a tree that has not been purchased is felled, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 15 for each such tree.

(*k*) That no operations shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*l*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*m*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the timber paid for, but left unremoved in any of the coupes after the 30th June 1939.

(*n*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the outturn of timber from each of them and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of Guards.

(6) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of the cancellation of contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it Departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2), *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

*Abstract Notification dated 11th December* 1937.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification regarding the sale of standing timber in Kesave District Forest to be held on 7th January 1938, published on pages 2085-2087, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 16th December 1937.

M. A. MUTHANNA,
*District Forest Officer.*

BUILDINGS DIVISION, BANGALORE.

*Notification dated 4th January* 1938.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, up to 21st January 1938, up to 2-30 P.M., for roofing the Recreation Hall in front of male and female kitchens of the new Mental Hospital, Bangalore. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by the end of 15th June 1938.

2. The plans, detailed estimate and conditions may be seen at the Executive Engineer's Office at Building Division, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

3. Tender should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 600 in cash or Government Promissory Notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for roofing the Recreation Hall in front of male and female kitchens of the new Mental Hospital, Bangalore," in default of which tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Superintending Engineer, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond; in default of which his tender will be considered cancelled and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the Notice Board in the Executive Engineer's Office in due course. No enquiry regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Rates once tendered will not be enhanced on any account.

10. Rates for non-tendered and non-estimated items shall be as per schedule rates of the Department or those fixed by the Executive Engineer after working out data with not more than 10 per cent for contractor's profit.

11. In all matters not specifically provided for and in all matters of dispute about rates, quantities, measurements, quality of works, etc., and in all disputes of any kind, the decision of the Executive Engineer will be final and legally binding.

12. Quotations must be given in words as well as in figures and they must be in specific term of unit shown against each item of work. Any quotation quoted at so much percentage less or more than estimated rate will not be accepted.

Abstract estimate for roofing the Recreation Hall in front of Male and Female Kitchens of the New Mental Hospital, Bangalore.

| Item No. | Description of work | Unit | Rate | Quantity | Cost |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Rs. a. p. | | Rs. |
| 1 | Size stone in clay superstructure | C.ft. | 0 4 9 | 552 | |
| 2 | Burnt brick in clay superstructure | ,, | 0 2 11 | 210 | |
| 3 | B.S. slabs 6" thick one line dressed and fixed | S.ft. | 0 6 0 | 582 | |

| Item No. | Description of work | Unit | Rate | Quantity | Cost |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Rs. a. p. | | Rs. |
| 4 | B.S. slabs two line dressed and fixed .. | S. ft. | 0 11 0 | 88 | |
| 5 | B.S. slabs 6″ to 8″ thick 1½′ wide for string courses, etc. .. .. .. .. | R.ft. | 0 12 0 | 49 | |
| 6 | Cutting square plain mouldings in slabs .. | ,, | 0 4 0 | 49 | |
| 7 | T.W. glazed ventilators, etc. .. .. .. | S.ft. | 1 4 0 | 96 | |
| 8 | Stone in mortar pillars 1′–4″ square, 11′–0″ high with bond slabs, caps and bases .. | No. | 30 0 0 | 12 | |
| 9 | Cut stone pedestals to pillars, etc. .. .. | C.ft. | 3 4 0 | 90½ | |
| 10 | R.C. girders 20′ span .. .. .. | R.ft. | 20 0 0 | 163 | |
| 11 | Raw slab lintels over pillars 1′–4″×8″ .. | ,, | 2 8 0 | 59 | |
| 12 | R.C. terraces 20′ span .. .. .. | Sqr. | 57 0 0 | 12.05 | |
| 13 | R.C. terrace 10′ span .. .. .. | ,, | 160 0 0 | 26.44 | |
| 14 | Chunnam plastering brick walls .. .. | ,, | 3 2 0 | 9.48 | |
| 15 | Colour washing .. .. .. .. | ,, | 0 5 0 | 9.48 | |
| 16 | Masonry string course 1′–4″×8″, including dressing .. .. .. .. | R.ft. | 0 12 0 | 117½ | |
| 17 | Dressed stone parapet 1′–4″ thick and 2′ high, etc. .. .. .. .. | ,, | 2 8 0 | 92 | |
| 18 | Ornamental parapet with cement fret work, etc. | ,, | 5 0 0 | 50 | |
| 19 | Cement pointing to superstructure .. .. | Sqr. | 3 8 0 | 9.71 | |
| 20 | Painting with two coats of Lac Factory green paint .. .. .. .. | ,, | 4 0 0 | 1.92 | |
| 21 | Providing and fixing 4″×4″ C.I. rain water pipes, including bends, etc., complete .. | R.ft. | 2 11 0 | 128 | |
| 22 | Providing and fixing G.I. rain water pipes enclosed in cement concrete, etc. .. | ,, | 1 0 0 | 32 | |
| 23 | One line dressing to stone masonry .. | S.ft. | 0 3 6 | 135 | |
| 24 | One line dressing to masonry pillars .. | ,, | 0 4 0 | 704 | |
| 25 | Miscellaneous charges like building in mortar wherever necessary .. .. .. | L.S. | .... | .. | |
| 26 | Providing and fixing collapsible gate with semi-circular top, etc., as per design .. | .. | .... | L.S. | 300 |

B. R. GARUDACHAR,
*Executive Engineer.*

## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF COMMANDANT, MYSORE STATE TROOPS, BANGALORE.

*Notice, dated 3rd January* 1938.

Two pairs of bullocks as detailed below belonging to the Mysore Lancers, will be sold by public auction on Thursday the 13th instant at 9 A.M. at the Mysore Lancers, Hebbal, Bangalore. Intending purchasers may inspect these animals at the Mysore Lancers Lines.

| *Serial No.* | *Serve No.* | *Brand No.* |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | .. | 1913 |
| 2 | 11 | 1919 |
| 3 | 17 | 1914 |
| 4 | 13 | 1918 |

*Terms of sale.*

1. The highest bidder should pay the full sale amount as soon as the sale is closed. If he fails to do so, a resale will be held at his risk.
2. The bidder of the first sale will then be liable to make good any loss which may result from the resale. But he will have no right to any excess amount that may be realized in the resale.
3. All amounts due to Government from the defaulting bidders will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.
4. For all monies paid, proper receipts should be obtained from the officer conducting the sale.

S. ABDUL KHALAK,
For *Chief Commandant.*